

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) An image and audio reproducing apparatus comprising:

a display device;

a storage device which stores ~~picked-up~~ a frame of image data, audio data which is generated before and at a pick-up timing of the frame of image data, and time data indicating the pick-up timing;

an audio reproducing device which reproduces the audio data;

an image reproducing device which reproduces the frame of image data to display an image of the frame of image data on the display device; and

a controller which controls the image reproducing device so that a display size of the image of the frame of image data gradually changes until the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

2. (Previously Presented) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the controller controls the image reproducing device so that the display size changes gradually at a constant ratio in a predetermined changing manner until the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

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3. (Previously Presented) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the controller controls the image reproducing device so that the display size enlarges gradually until the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

4. (Previously Presented) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the controller controls the image reproducing device so that the display size reduces gradually until the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

Claims 5-9 (Canceled).

10. (Previously Presented) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the storage device further stores audio data which is generated after the pick-up timing, and the controller controls the audio reproducing device to reproduce the audio data generated after the pick-up timing, after the audio data which is generated at the pick-up timing is reproduced.

11. (Previously Presented) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the storage device further stores audio data which is generated after the pick-up

timing, and the controller controls the audio reproducing device
5 so that the display size of the image one of enlarges and reduces
gradually until the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio
data generated at the pick-up timing , and the other of reduces
and enlarges gradually after the audio reproducing device
reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

12. (Original) The image and audio reproducing apparatus
according to claim 1, further comprising:

a selector which selectively disables the controller, and
wherein the controller controls the image reproducing device to
5 display information indicating the pick-up timing on the display
device when the selector does not disable the controller.

13. (Currently Amended) The image and audio reproducing
apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the storage device stores
plural sets of a frame of image data and audio data ~~and image~~
~~data~~ which are associated with each other, and the apparatus
5 further comprises:

a first selector which selects one of the plural sets ~~of~~
~~audio data and image data~~ stored in the storage device, and
wherein the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data of
the selected set ~~of audio data and image data~~, and the image
10 reproducing device reproduces the frame of image data of the
selected set ~~of audio data and image data~~.

14. (Previously Presented) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 13, further comprising:

a determining unit which determines whether the storage device stores audio data which is generated before and at the pick-up timing, and wherein the controller controls the image reproducing device to display information indicating the pick-up timing on the display device when the determining unit determines that the storage device stores the audio data which is generated before and at the pick-up timing.

15. (Currently Amended) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 13, wherein the controller comprises a second selector which selects a set of audio data which is generated before and at the pick-up timing and a frame of image data and presents the selected set as a selection candidate for the first selector.

16. (Currently Amended) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the image and audio reproducing apparatus comprises a digital camera comprising:

a pick-up device which produces the ~~pick-up~~ frame of image data; and

a recorder which produces the audio data.

17. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable medium having stored thereon a program for controlling a computer to perform functions comprising:

reading ~~picked-up~~ a frame of image data, audio data which
5 is generated before and at a pick-up timing of the frame of image data, and time data indicating the pick-up timing from a storage means;

reproducing the audio data;

reproducing the frame of image data to display an image of
10 the frame of image data on a display device; and

controlling the reproducing of the frame of image data so that a display size of the image of the frame of image data gradually changes until audio data generated at the pick-up timing is reproduced.

Claims 18-21 (Canceled).

22. (Currently Amended) An image and audio reproducing method comprising:

reading ~~picked-up~~ a frame of image data, audio data which is
5 generated before and at a pick-up timing of the frame of image data, and time data indicating the pick-up timing from a storage means;

reproducing the audio data;

reproducing the frame of image data to display an image of
the frame of image data on a display device; and

10 controlling the reproducing of the frame of image data so
that a display size of the image of the frame of image
data gradually changes until audio data generated at the pick-up
timing is reproduced.

23. (New) The image and audio reproducing apparatus
according to claim 1, wherein the controller controls the image
reproducing device so that a display area of the display device
on which the image of the frame of image data is displayed
5 gradually changes until the audio reproducing device reproduces
the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

24. (New) The image and audio reproducing apparatus
according to claim 1, wherein the image reproducing device
generates the image of the frame of image data to be displayed by
changing a number of pixels in the frame of image data in
5 accordance with a designated display size.

25. (New) The image and audio reproducing apparatus
according to claim 1, wherein the controller controls the image
reproducing device so that the image is displayed in a first
predetermined display size when the audio reproducing device
5 reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

26. (New) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 25, wherein the controller controls the image reproducing device so that the display size of the image of the frame of image data one of enlarges and reduces gradually toward
5 the first predetermined display size until the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

27. (New) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 26, wherein the controller controls the image reproducing device so that a proportion of the display size of the image of the frame of image data to the first predetermined
5 display size depends on time remaining until the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.

28. (New) The image and audio reproducing apparatus according to claim 3, wherein the controller controls the image reproducing device so that the display size of the image enlarges toward a first display size which corresponds to a display size
5 of the display device until the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing, and wherein the image of the frame of image data is displayed in the first display size when the audio reproducing device reproduces the audio data generated at the pick-up timing.